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QUEBEC LETTER.

A Victorian Gives his Impressions of the Ancient Quebec Capital.

Points of Historical Interest—A Resort for Tourists—Remarkable Climate.

Quebec, Aug. 30—During the summer season Quebec is visited by many tourists, and as it is one of the most extreme eastern cities of importance in the Dominion, your correspondent thought it might be of interest to your readers to note a few of its advantages by way of situation and attraction to Canadian and American tourists. Before considering the beauties of this historic city it would be well to note first the commercial and municipal advancement, made during the last 20 years. Quebec can boast of several large wholesale stores, and has a large number of leather and boot and shoe manufactories. This in fact seems to be the largest business carried on. Shipbuilding, which was once a large trade here is now abandoned and has long ceased to be a profitable business. The population of Quebec is considered about fifty-six thousand, and it has not, it is said gained any in population for the last twenty years. The number of vessels now in the harbor are few as compared with twenty years ago. The large business in lumber which was carried on at that time seems to have dwindled down to a small trade. Many of the buildings existing at the time we have referred to, have been replaced by new and substantial ones. Still the streets remain in the same

NARROW CROOKED AND DIRTY

condition. I may venture to say, that there is not a city on the continent of the same size as Quebec that can claim so many narrow and tortuous streets. Owing to the fact that some of the streets have now street cars running on them, it is almost impossible to make any progress with a carriage. But while Quebec has these disadvantages, it can boast of many advantages. As a military station it cannot be equalled. It can also boast of its picturesque scenery, its environs cannot be surpassed for their attractiveness and beauty. Beginning first with the city, I shall refer only to a few features which seemed most attractive.

Standing on the Terrace, which is called the Dufferin Terrace, the beholder is presented with a sight which cannot be equalled in the world. The Terrace is on an elevation of 200 feet above the water and it is almost bewildering when one first takes in the sight. The River St. Lawrence beneath, with its numerous vessels, from the smallest craft to the huge ocean steamship, flows majestically onward to the sea. Opposite, in the distance, is Point Levis, which has a prosperous appearance. Towards the east is the Island of Orleans, which is thickly settled and presents the appearance of a good agricultural section. From this point a good view of

THE LOWER TOWN

is obtained. Looking down one seems to think that the men and horses on the wharves are miniature in size and you have to realize what they are more by their movements than by their usual appearance. From this point also we ascend the steps which lead to the citadel, at the top of which is the gate by which access is obtained to the trenches of the fort. At the gate we were furnished with a guide who showed us through the fortress. Behind the walls are casemated barracks for the troops, and these are loopholed for musketry so as to command the trenches, while on the summits are cannon commanding all approaches to the city. Across the citadel square are the officers quarters, stores for ammunition, stables and other buildings. Here we saw the livery of Lord Stanley our Governor-General, who is now residing here for a short time. The battery is about 350 feet above low water and the view from it is one of the grandest in the world, commanding a view up and down the river for several miles. To the west of this are the Plains of Abraham where was fought the battle which gave the colony to the English.

THIS DECISIVE BATTLE

was fought on the 13th Sept., 1759. The monument erected on the spot where Wolfe died bears the inscription of his death, and the date of the battle. Few visitors to Quebec fail to see this place of interest as well as a house on St. Louis street, now occupied as a curiosity shop, which has an inscription written on the side of the door, commemorating the death of Montgomery, and the house he was taken to after his death. Besides these historical events Quebec has many points of attraction.

Among these are the Falls of Montmorency, which are distant from the city seven or eight miles. Few tourists fail to see the Falls. The body of water which falls from a height of 250 feet (greater than that of Niagara Falls, which is about 180 feet) passes, it is said, through a subterranean passage and rises in a tumultuous manner near the Island of Orleans, at a point opposite the Falls, a distance of about a mile.

THE VIEW OF THE FALLS

is taken from the eastern side, by which you can view, either from the bank or by descending a stairway, nearly two hundred feet, the deafening roar and turbulency of the water below, is almost bewildering and requires one of considerable nerve to descend the stairway. When you descend, the great height to which one is placed and the downward stepping causes one to feel a certain amount of dizziness, which is rather unpleasant. The drive to and from the Falls has some attractive features also. There are other points of interest about this historic city that attracts the tourist. In fact here as well as elsewhere we found large parties of tourists, among them the notable Raymond excursionists. The chief places of distinction for them being either the city and its surrounding and Murray Bay, or Cacouna, which is now named the Saratoga of Canada. In fact, from Quebec to the sea may be said to be one watering place, and has had more visitors this year than in any former one. In this locality

MAY BE FOUND VISITORS

chiefly from Toronto, Montreal and the other cities of the Dominion as well as from all the American cities. In fact one has to note the various tastes exhibited in making a selection for a summer resort. The residents of Toronto have a liking to Muskoka or the St. Lawrence, Montreal also for the St. Lawrence, Boston or other wateringplaces on the Atlantic seaboard, while those on the seaboard, such as Boston and New York have a desire to visit Alaska and to take in the scenes of British Columbia. While the residents of Victoria are even more expansive in their views as they can be found from the quiet and picturesque banks of Goldstream, to the favorite eastern resorts beyond the St. Lawrence. So much for the tastes of the people in this particular. It would seem to the average British Columbian that the Americans are better posted on the beauties and capabilities of Alaska than the residents of the Pacific coast, and it is with pride evidently that he recites the beauties and richness of that far off country. Before concluding it may be of interest to note the

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

and as to how it has been during the month of August in Quebec and vicinity, so that you will be able to compare notes as to the elements in this particular. In the Province of Quebec rain has fallen every alternate day, so much so that the crops will be only partially saved. During the early part of the year the crops suffered from drought, and at one time it was feared the crops would not be of any account, but during the month of August the reverse has been the case, and wet weather has prevailed. The temperature and condition of the weather was recorded as follows in Quebec for the month of August just ended.

1888	8 a.m.	3 p.m.	wind	aspect.
Aug. 1	66	74	w	variable
" 2	67	72	w	clear
" 3	64	75	e	variable
" 4	63	65	e	rain
" 5	63	66	e	variable
" 6	63	74	e	clear
" 7	62	63	e	rain
" 8	63	66	e	cloudy
" 9	65	77	w	clear
" 10	65	73	w	clear
" 11	65	71	w	variable
" 12	66	74	e	clear
" 13	62	63	e	rain
" 14	58	61	e	cloudy
" 15	61	65	e	rain
" 16	65	72	—	cloudy
" 17	67	72	w	rain a.m.
" 18	68	77	w	clear
" 19	63	75	w	rain p.m
" 20	60	74	n w	clear
" 21	57	58	e	rain a.m
" 22	55	57	e	rain p.m
" 23	54	63	w	clear
" 24	58	68	—	cloudy
" 25	59	67	w	variable
" 26	63	61	e	rain p.m
" 27	58	61	w	cloudy
" 28	57	60	—	rain
" 29	56	60	—	rain
" 30 & 31	57	61	—	rain

It is noticeable that rainy days predominate and judging by what we have seen, it rains heavier than in Victoria, and the rain is even more penetrating than from our November showers. G. L. M.

YOU PAY YOUR MONEY, &c.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

Sir,—Are you acquainted with the persons in charge of the photographing outfit in the tent on Government street? Do you know their method of conducting business, and do you think it strictly legal? If you do know, will you please say so, that in this way you may do the public of Victoria a substantial benefit. We are told through the advertising columns of the newspapers that for three or four dollars one can procure a dozen photographs, guaranteed first class in every respect. This is undoubtedly cheap in this country and only about one half what the resident photographers in this city think they can afford to do them for. This fact suggested to me that there might be some catch-penny trick in the business, and for several days (although I wanted badly to have some photos taken to send to friends in the distance) I fought shy of this place. Finally, seeing that quite a number were patronizing the thing, my liberality got the better of me, and I made my way thither. The faces of those concerned did not seem to encourage me, and for some time again, I halted between two opinions. Finally I went in. The artist—I suppose that is what you would call him—pointed out the chair to me, and I sat down. Then he twisted my head into position so that my eyes were directed to a large card on which were printed words to this effect: "A DEPOSIT MUST BE MADE AT TIME OF SITTING, AND BALANCE MUST BE PAID WHEN THE PROOF IS SHOWN. PLEASE DO NOT ASK US TO CHANGE THESE RULES." These are not the exact words but convey the meaning. You will see that the card was so placed, that I was committed to a sitting, before it attracted my notice. Immediately following the sitting the hand of the lady in waiting was out for the deposit. I foolishly paid the two dollars, or one half the amount. I was shown the proof next day. I considered it a very inferior piece of workmanship, but said, reluctantly enough, I assure you, "Well, you can make me a dozen, and when will you have them done?" I was told, "Oh, they must take their turn; there were hundreds ahead of me; probably they would not be done for eight or ten days." The hand was again stretched out for the balance of the four dollars, but I demurred. It was absurd to demand the full price of the goods before delivery could be made, and I urged that such a method of business was very unbusinesslike, that I believe it would not stand the test of law. I need not tell you of the torrent of words that was poured forth in return for my wise admonition; but this much I thought to myself. I have two dollars invested in the photographing business, and better than four. I walked away a sadder but a wiser man. We require lessons of this sort now and again. This extraordinary business, conducted on extraordinary commercial principles, wherein you invest your money and leave the rest to the blind possibility of at some future day receiving something in return, is a lottery; and may take to itself wings at the first appearance of a cloud in the sky.

VICTIM.

[The photographers referred to in the above will possibly be heard from in reply, for which purpose our columns are open to them.—ED. TIMES]

Some "Ooze."

The Town Major was smiling in his usual hearty way, reading the *Colonist's* comments on the "new acquisition," and was heard to say, "be me sowl it hit hard, to draw forth rich 'ooze' as that."

Several Chinamen, armed with whitewash brushes, and a dray with barrels of slacked lime, labeled "our Star in Winnipeg," were busy about the *Colonist* building all day renovating the place. Some Chinese laundry men had a tub bearing the legend "Morality," into which they dumped the paper. They say it is the hardest job they ever tackled, and although they may bring back the color a little still many of the stains will remain. The sanitary authorities should take the matter in hand and have the thing destroyed. Contagion spreads rapidly.

—Dr. Morrison has removed to Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, up stairs. 1m *

GOLDENSEN HANGED.

The Murderer of Mamie Kelly Dies on the Gallows—A Bravado to the Last.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau on Retaliation—A Secret Contract with the Manitoba Central.

San Francisco, Sept. 31—Public interest in the execution of Alexander Goldensen is intense. So great is the feeling in the matter that throughout the entire night groups of men and women blockaded the approaches to the county jail, where the hanging will occur. Speculation was wild on the streets as to the probabilities of the murderer carrying out his determination to meet death bravely. At nine o'clock it was impossible to make way through the crowd without great difficulty. Goldensen slept about three hours last night and woke up with the same air of bravado and donned the suit in which he is to be hanged. He was with a Catholic priest until his removal. It was not generally known he has renounced the Hebrew faith and embraced Roman Catholicism. The conversion took place this morning. He previously exacted a promise from the priest that the fact should not be given out until after his death. He himself imparted the information to a newspaper friend. Goldensen was then baptised, made his confession, and prepared for the journey to the upper corridor, to the cell alongside of the scaffold. Previous to his removal he complained of th intolerable heat of the lower cell, and asked to be taken upstairs. At half past ten a priest left the condemned man for a few moments. Goldensen in the meanwhile directing the conversation to the manner in which he would act on the scaffold. The jail officials state that never in their experience has a man about to be executed acted in such a cool, nonchalant manner. He was liberally supplied with stimulants and regretted he was unable to say personal good bye to his many friends. He sent for a reporter on a morning paper and bade him farewell and hoped they would meet in another world. The chief jailor informed him the time for the transfer had arrived. Goldensen arose, said "all right," and accompanied by a priest walked jauntily out of the cell, tripped down the stone steps into the corridor reaching the iron staircase which he was to ascend to the upper corridor, walked up briskly entirely unassisted. Arrived on the top the grim instrument of death stared him full in the face. He was not a particle daunted, and stepping aside sat down on a chair in full view of the scaffold. He then asked for a priest and when the latter arrived they walked along the upper corridor, Goldensen scanning the preparations for his death. Not a muscle moved. He stopped at the door of his cell and looked at the scaffold intently for a few minutes. He noticed a large board that had been placed there in the event he should weaken, so that he might be strapped to it. "Say, Chief, what's that?" said he, pointing to the board. Informed that it had been placed there by mistake he said: "Oh, I see, you doubted me me when I said I would die game, eh?" With that the condemned man walked into the cell, but quickly came to the door for a second look. Goldensen was hanged at 12:05 p. m. He made a speech and died game. He put the rope on himself.

As noon hour approached crowds had swelled into thousands. By desperate efforts a cordon of police kept the stairs leading to the jail clear. Invited persons with the greatest difficulty effected an entrance. Inside, the heat was oppressive. Goldensen, as the fatal hour approached, appeared the least concerned of all. He listened attentively to the exhortations of the priest. His whole demeanor indicated that he was firmly reconciled to his fate, as if determined on passing through the final act as an unavoidable necessity. All preliminaries having been effected, the City Hall bell tolled the first stroke of noon as Sheriff McMann emerged from the condemned man's cell, closely followed by Goldensen, the priest, a number of deputy sheriffs and physicians. He climbed the stairs easily without faltering and took a position just in advance of the trap. He scanned the spectators coolly, cleared his throat, said he forgave everybody. "I loved her then and I love her now," said he in a clear voice. He took from his pocket a picture of Mamie Kelly, held it and suiting the action to the words, kissed it, the murderer standing as immovable as a stone monument. One of the deputies reached to take a rope from the wall, and stepped in front of Goldensen. The latter gently pushed him aside, seized the rope with his own hands and himself placed it around his neck. Pinioning was done quickly. The sheriff tightened the noose about the neck of the condemned, adjusting the knot just back of the ear. Even then Goldensen's pluck was manifested. He bade good-bye to the sheriffs and thanked them for their kindness. The black cap was slipped over his head, and with a shot he plunged into eternity. The drop fell four and a half minutes from the time he left the cell.

PRISONERS ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE.

Toronto, Sept. 14—Two desperate burglars named David McKenzie and Louis Wilowski, were captured by the police yesterday with stolen goods in their possession. They had been in the cells but a short time when they engaged in a determined effort to escape. Several bricks were first removed from the wall, but the solid stone foundation prevented further operations in this direction. An attempt then was made by the way of the water closet with no better success. When discovered they were endeavoring to make a hole through the roof with boards they had wrenched from the cot. Wilowski served terms in the Central and penitentiary.

COMING TO B. C.

Montreal, Sept. 14—T. G. Shaughnessy of the C. P. R., accompanied by Doctor Roddick, Hon. Wells, Toronto, and some other friends, leave for British Columbia next week.

THE FALL FAIRS.

Toronto, Sept. 14—The fall Fairs, Southern at Brantford, Central at Guelph, and Toronto, are meeting with success; but the Industrial tops them all.

MORE NIAGARA FOOLS.

Buffalo, Sept. 14—Charles A. Percy, of Suspension Bridge, accompanied by Miss Nellie Dilworth, of Pittsburg, and by Percy's dog Grouse, will attempt to go through the Whirlpool Rapids in an open boat to-day. The boat is a self-bailer and self-righter. Percy claims it is impossible to capsize.

Later—Percy has postponed his trip until to-morrow.

FOREST FIRES.

Bay City, Mich.—Sept. 14—The smoke from forest fires fills the air in this section. Cinders and burning leaves drop in the city yesterday. In Arenas county the flames spread everywhere, and are still spreading. Quinn's Camp, west of Deep River, and other camps were burned. Unless rain soon falls great damage will be done. No lives lost.

SCHOONER WRECKED.

San Francisco, Sept. 14—News was brought in by a fishing smack of the wreck of the schooner Page, off Point Reyes, yesterday. The crew was saved.

CHAPLEAU'S VIEWS.

Montreal, Sept. 14—At the Conservative picnic held at La Prairie yesterday, Secretary of State Chapleau devoted his remarks almost wholly to the retaliation question. The action of President Cleveland he termed dishonorable. The Government's course, he declared, would be that which would be best to guard the interests of Canada. Americans have regretted the negotiations of a treaty because it did not suit them. Canada, however, has pursued a different course.

WOMEN REGISTERING.

Boston, Sept. 14—Two hundred women appeared at the City Hall to-day and registered their names and applied to be put on the voting list. They are entitled to vote for members of the school committee only. Since September the names of 5000 women have been added to the voting list. To-day's registry, however, beats the record.

BARTILAT AND STANLEY DEAD.

London, Sept. 14—The papers commenting on the murder of Major Bartilat, in the Congo, are unanimous in attributing his death to the treachery and instigation of Tippoo Tib. The papers assert there is now little room to doubt that Stanley suffered a similar fate at Tippoo's hands.

A SECRET CONTRACT.

Chicago, Sept. 14—A sensation will be created in railway circles by the forthcoming legal proceedings which may prevent the Northern Pacific from realizing its cherished scheme of entering Manitoba. A year ago the Dominion Government entered into a contract whereby the Manitoba Central Railway was to have the sole lease of the Red River Valley Railroad. The contract was given to a Trustee, Dr. McArthur, of Winnipeg, representing a corporation. The contract specified that the Manitoba Central was to have a prior claim over all other corporations, and that should the contract be disallowed, and disallowance be practically or tacitly annulled by any future act of the Dominion Government, the Manitoba Central's rights were to be recognized in priority, its contract to be remade or considered valid under the terms of agreement. The Manitoba Central is now prepared to enforce its claim, and will institute proceeding at once. It was learned to-day at the Northern Pacific headquarters that Solicitor McNaught had already prepared papers setting forth the Manitoba Central's ground for complaint.

DAVITT EXPLAINS.

London, Sept. 13—In view of the excitement created by the publication this morning of an alleged statement by Michael Davitt, the publication of an explanation of the origin of the bogus interview would seem to be in order. When Frank Hugh O'Donnell was preparing his case against the *Times*, his solicitor wrote to Davitt, requesting him to write a succient account of his connection with Fenianism, Parnellism, &c., in order that O'Donnell might judge of the character of the evidence Davitt would give if he should be called as a witness in plaintiff's behalf. Davitt complied with the request and was not summoned as a witness for obvious reasons. When O'Donnell's case collapsed, Davitt's statement was filed away in the solicitor's office with a mass of other unusual documents. During the absence of the solicitor on a holiday trip, one of the clerks in his office made a copy of Davitt's letters and sold it to a news agency which published it as an interview. This explanation is authorized by Davitt who is now in London completely fagged out from his recent labors. John Morley has gone to Hawarden at Gladstone's request, to consult with the expremier concerning Davitt's attitude and an effort will probably be made to induce the latter to specially define his position to his leaders, in order that they may make known positively whether he is to be regarded as a friend or an enemy.

THE POPE'S DEPARTURE FROM ROME.

Rome, Sept. 13—Mgr. Schrefflino has presented at the Vatican a memorandum approving of the Pope's removal from Rome only in the event of a rigorous application of the penal code of war with France, when Italians would be regarded with suspicion. Should a departure be made he approves of Belgium as a papal residence, because of its neutral and Catholic character, but would not accept under a guarantee of the powers.

MILAN AND NATALIE.

Belgrade, Sept. 14—King Milan shows a disposition to compromise his differences with Queen Natalie under pressure of the Powers. The divorce suit has been dropped.

THE GERRYMANDER.

Quebec, Sept. 14—It is stated that three local parliamentary divisions of this city are under a gerrymandering scheme. The object view is not very clear, as the three divisions return supporters of the local government.

TOWN DESTROYED.

Washburn, Wis. Sept. 14—The business portion of the town was burned this morning. All but thirty buildings were burned; loss $150,000; insurance small.

BOILER EXPLODES.

Mansfield, Sept. 14—The Baltimore & Ohio freight engine on a side track thirty miles south of this city, exploded this morning, just as the passenger train was passing. The engineer and fireman and several others were killed.

IMPORTANT NOMINATIONS.

Washington, Sept. 12—The President has made the following nominations: Lambert Tree, of Illinois, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Russia, vice George N. Lothrop, resigned. Edwin S Connell, Consul of the United States at Batavia. Secretaries of Legation—Howard Martin, of California, to China; Charles Holliday, of Kansas, to Venezuela; H. Levere, of New York, to Argentine Republic; H. B. Whitehouse, of New York to Mexico; Prof. G. Davidson, of California, an assistant in the United States coast and geodetic survey, to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission.

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NATIONAL SOCIETIES.

In our yesterday's issue a letter was published from a "Connaughtman" on the subject of the want of an Irish National Society. Of all the nationalities in our midst it seems that the sons of Erin are the only ones without a properly organised society. While agreeing in the main with the desirability of such an organization, for benevolent and social purposes, we deprecate any tendency to keep alive in this Dominion ideas of separate nationalities. In most instances in the older portions of the Dominion, they have been made tools of the wire-pullers of both political parties, apart from which they prevent in a measure the blending of the population of the Dominion into one grand heterogeneal whole. In the neighouring Republic its people, whether by birth or naturalization, proudly boast of being Americans first, which aids largely in building up their proud national sentiment.

We do not advocate a Canada first party, but what we endeavor to make clear is that it were well for our interest, social and national, could we but pull down the barrier of the accident of birth, and blend more into a solid phalanx, whose proud ambition would be to be styled Canadian in sentiment and feeling. This Province is comparatively new in its population; we are composed of many nationalities. What we require is that our people should become British Columbian first, as regards our interests, and Canadian in national sentiment, proud of being members of that glorious Empire on which the sun never sets. On these lines let us have an Irish National Society.

AN "INDEPENDENT" JOURNAL.

The Vancouver News is attempting the difficult feat of running with the hare and hunting with the hounds. Its political namby-pambyism may bring shekels to its pocket, but it will not reflect credit upon its sagacity. It professes to be thoroughly independent in provincial politics, in order perhaps the more readily to deceive the people of Vancouver, who have no love for the Government and would refuse to support a paper that was an "organ," to the same extent for instance, that the Colonist is an organ of the DAVIE-ROBSON faction. The News can see nothing wrong in the purchase of school furniture in the east, and indeed goes out of the course of a really independent paper to lecture THE TIMES for having criticised the conduct of the department in refusing to patronize home industry. We would have thought that the principle of patronizing local manufacturers would have received the hearty support of such a pronounced advocate of protection, even though it were practised at a slight disadvantage as to price; but it appears that the News writer is not of that way of thinking. On the contrary, our contemporary is disposed to commend the Minister of Education for sending money out of the country, which might as well have been spent in it. However, the question of "protection" is one that does not, in the opinion of its advocates, apply to interstate commerce; and, although we do not claim that the restriction of trade theory should be so limited or practiced, we nevertheless may be permitted to express regret that our Vancouver contemporary has not yet identified himself with the interests of our local tradesmen. True, we might feel justified in thinking that the News was insincere in its adulations of Mr. Robson in this connection, for does it not advocate the establishment of industries in Vancouver and the building up of the young city by the encouragement of enterprises of all kinds; but when we remember that, in our friend's opinion, a law that applies to Vancouver does not necessarily apply to Victoria, we are constrained to think that along with being insincere he is inconsistent and ungenerous.

The lecture of our "independent" contemporary is taken for what it is worth, which is very little. A journal professedly "independent," that has not the courage to denounce the iniquitous differential school tax, whereby Vancouver will be required to pay a sum of money not required of certain other sections of the province, is not really and truly an independent journal. It is evidently still under Robson's thumb. The same can be said in respect to the temporary certificate fraud, which even the Colonist has refused to defend. The News has been "independent" enough (like the Colonist) to *refrain* from commenting upon the nepotism practiced by the Minister. Yet the News claims to be an "independent" journal, that censures the Government when it does wrong and commend them when they do well! Cleverer men than the News' editor have ere this endeavored to serve two masters, but they ignominously failed.

JOURNALISTIC FRAUD.

We were very sorry to disturb that time-honored "chestnut," "Special to the Colonist," used indiscriminately and often dishonestly by our contemporary; but duty to the public demanded it. It was but natural that our fast-declining and dying brother should feel sore over it. When a press dispatch which had appeared in THE TIMES on Thursday evening comes out in the Colonist on Friday, *verbatim et literatum*, under the head line, "from our own correspondent," it was but natural that fraud should be suspected. Ditto with the DEWNEY election special to THE TIMES, which appeared in this paper on Thursday evening and in the Colonist on Friday morning. It is possible, however, that precisely the same words were specially telegraphed to our contemporary, but he will permit us to doubt it. People have their own opinions about such things. Special telegrams in last evening's TIMES are copied into the Colonist this morning again, but as they are not palmed off as "special to the Colonist" there can be no objection to it. There are a certain class of professional items which any paper is justified in copying without any credit. No one denies that. And it is well it is so or our contemporary would be compelled to give THE TIMES credit for more than half the local news that appears in its columns.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Smith, the editor of our evening contemporary, is engaged in the very unremunerative business of writing letters to himself.

A despatch to an eastern paper says that Victoria Conservatives have asked Sir John to request Mr. Van Horne to modify his policy towards this city.

Coal remains at $10 per ton. Friends of the monopolist claim that he does not make $5 to $6 per ton. Perhaps the profit in some instances was over stated, but even if he only makes $4 or $5 it is still too much.

The old Colonist and the old Standard both, decaying institutions, have got squarely into the one boat at last and are determined to die together. Like the old Blue Post saloon they have had their day.

The Governor-General addressed the Toronto Board of Trade on the fisheries question, and expressed the hope that neither directly or indirectly would Canadians be tempted from the path of calmness, sound judgment and even geniality toward those with whom they were brought in contact in political and commercial affairs.

THE TIMES welcomes Mr. Lawson, the new editor of the Colonist, to the city. We know something of his past as a vigorous writer on the Liberal press of Prince Edward Island, and for the reason that he is by conviction a friend of the good cause we are all the more pleased that he will in future occupy a position where he can be of great service to honest and good government. He cannot, it is true, compel the leopard to change its spots, but he can to a certain degree tame the beast, or render it harmless by clipping its claws and pulling its teeth. The only way a political newspaper millenium can ever be brought about will be by a general exchange of editors, resulting in the employment of Grit editors only on Tory sheets, and Tory writers only on Grit sheets. Then will political warriors beat their pens into ploughshares and their scissors into pruning hooks, and newspapers will not learn war any more.

We remember a few years ago—when as a "tenderfoot" in Victoria journalism we crossed the path of the late editor and proprietor of the Colonist—we were almost annihilated by being referred to as "an importation from the east." Time makes all things even. We almost feel now, after the newspaper upheavals of the past few months, that THE TIMES is the only old and reliable journal in the city. The government evening organ is managed, after a fashion, and edited in a go-as-you-please style by "three wise men" from the east, and the morning organ, now that the departure of Mr. W. Higgins forever cuts the connection between the old and the new *regimes*, is an exotic that lives only by virtue of the mulching it received in infancy. It is, however, visibly wilting, and all the ardor of young blood can never nourish it back to vigorous life again. With so many juveniles about us, we are beginning to feel that we are old-timers, and that those whom Mr. Higgins, senior, used to describe as "fresh importations from the east," are playing "the very dickens" with the records of our contemporaries and fast levelling those time honored institutions to the dust.

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BURGOYNE BAY.

The Agricultural Show—Beautiful Garden—Personals—&c., &c.

People still busy. Thrashing to begin in a few days.

There is general dissatisfaction on the island in view of the proposed agricultural exhibition being held at Duncan's, instead of as formerly at Maple Bay. The people contend it is difficult enough getting articles over the water without their finding a means of taking them six miles farther. We can sympathize with them when we consider the quantity of their exhibits.

Taking a stroll to find the best flower garden, we can say upon seeing the one in possession of Mr. Joseph Akerman we were pleasantly surprised not only at the quantity and variety, but as well as to the arrangement. Mr. Akerman kindly explained the history of each plant, some of which were only experimental. Such a garden is worthy of the best florist. The vegetable garden is equally notable.

Two little girls, whose mother recently died in Victoria, and who have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, returned recently to Victoria, whence, after a short stay, they will join their father in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee are again home after a happy visit to Victoria.

From the school teacher I have: Average daily attendance for August, 17.3; head of school, Miss Nellie Wilson; second, Miss Katie Furness.

Hunting is too largely in order to be good for the poor innocents. As a marksman, Mr. D. Maxwell ranks A1, and sent a 116-pounder to Victoria. Grouse as well are fast falling.

On the downward trip the boat finds the wharf nearly crowded with surplus farm products for conveyance.

THE COUNTRY MAJOR.

THAT SUPPOSED SERMON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Some of your contemporaries have sought to charge the editor of THE TIMES with intent to insult every one of Anglican faith, for publishing what purported to be a sermon preached by the Bishop of London, taken from the *Journal of United Labor*. I asked the editor of THE TIMES to publish the article in question, and what I supposed was an honest production, as the *Journal of United Labor* is the official organ of the Knights of Labor. When I read the sermon (that now turns out to be a pernicious fabrication) I did not question its authenticity, as it was given place by an official organ, whose columns I supposed were closed to unofficial reports. If there be blame to any one in so far as THE TIMES is concerned, let it fall upon me, and not upon the editor, for his granting my request was through common courtesy. I write this explanation to exonerate THE TIMES and its management from all possible censure and bear myself the whole blame that may be apparent to some, for the publication of that which I supposed to be a sermon in last Saturday's issue of THE TIMES. But there is no need of so much fuss. I am inclined to think that some of our journalists are badly in need of something to do. Any man of common sense knows that papers often quote untruths, not knowing them to be such. If our journalists would pay more attention to the important issues of the day, and less to that undignified action of cross-firing which is scarcely becoming of the school boy, they would be more respected in the province, and become a greater power for good.

BYRON H. WEST.

QUESTIONS FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL TO ASK THE PRESIDENT OF THE E. & N. R. CO.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

Sir:—The Hon. R. Dunsmuir, President of the Council, should ascertain from the Hon. R. Dunsmuir, President of the E. & N. Railway Company, why his little strip of land, supposed to contain nearly two millions of acres, along the east coast of Vancouver Island, has not been surveyed. It is to be hoped the President of the Council will approach the President of the E. & N. R. Co. in a most humble and conciliatory manner, least the old gentleman should get his dander up and do something terrible, by looking up his pouch or boycotting the coal consumers, or putting two dollars more on coal and raising it up to $12 per ton, or put another dollar or two an acre on the poorest of his land, it now being $3. Yes, $3 an acre for the surface right, such surface as he chooses to leave the purchasers. It is the absolute duty of the President of the Council to show cause why the President of the E. & N. Co. should get a clear title to his land before it is surveyed, when it is an established rule that all purchasers of land must have the land they apply for surveyed before they can secure a title from the Government. But perhaps it was because he got it for nothing and a *cultus potlach* of $750,000 for taking it, and for fear he might not take it on such conditions, it was declared tax free forever. But, however, that is past and done until future generations will deal with it on its merits. As for the present it is high time that this monopolist bit of half an Island was defined, so that those that do not want to be vassals of King Rab may have a chance of finding a home on some of the fragments left. As it is at present no one cares about taking chances of staking a claim of land, mineral or anything else, anywhere near the supposed boundary for fear of being inside of it, and consequently outside of the claim of anything of any value. Come Mr. President of the Council, beard the old lion in his den and make him go through his performance and no shirking.

CANADIAN THISTLE.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Latest Happenings in the Eastern Provinces.

A destructive fire occurred at Simcoe on Monday. Eight business houses were burned including the office of the *British American*.

The Tressurers of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec will visit Ottawa on October 23rd to confer with the Minister of Finance on the question of the settlement of the accounts of the old province of Canada.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous. *

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CHAPTER III.

THE TEACHER.

The lively young man who had taught the Linwood school three winters had accumulated savings enough from this honest industry to begin the study of law. Accordingly, the school was left without a teacher. One day a stranger brought a letter to the Presbyterian minister, applying for the vacant place. After some delay it was given him. He was of slender, though athletic build, with dark hair and dark gray eyes. His face was a fine, strong one, full of will and intelligence; but it was not a peaceful face nor a face at rest.

In the center of the shabby village was the grocery—common club room for the male gossips of the neighborhood. Travelers knew it was the grocery by token that it had a box of blacking and two clothes pins in the window. The stranger teacher had a little room over this shop. He was quite solitary at first. Of evenings he staid alone in this room and played a violin, sometimes far into the night. Of afternoons, after school, he took long walks over the country roads and paths. Rain or shine, it was his habit. Indeed, he rather seemed to enjoy a walk in the rain, against the wind, with the storm beating in his face. He appeared more calm and happy after a five mile tramp in rough weather. At such times the people in the house heard him often singing to himself, in a singularly deep, sweet voice, songs in an unknown tongue. The impression of the stranger's dread and mysterious learning had so deepened in a few months, that the simple country people declared he sang in Hebrew. But a farmer from over seas told them the words were German. It was the folk song of Germany the new teacher sang. Thereupon the grocer, with the air of one announcing a great truth, said:

"He's a Dutchman!"

Once, after a fierce walk, George Morrison, quite exhausted, threw himself full length upon the carpet in his little room, with a pillow under his head. He thought at first to doze, but the stovepipe hole in the floor was a telephone, bringing unerringly to his sensitive ear every word spoken in the rustic shop below. He knew just how the male gossips were grouped. There was the 'Squire, who sat on a barrel head. There were the shoemaker and the postmaster. There was the lazy grocer himself, who sat upon an upturned empty soap box most of the time and let his wiry little wife wait upon the customers.

At length Jim Sweet said:

"That there new schoolmaster ain't much account, I reckon. He's too darned grammatical."

"I heard him whip out the Presbyterian preacher in argument t'other day," said the postmaster.

Now Simpkins, the grocer, struck in. He had listened to all the rest first. He had a solemn way of stating a stupid old fact as if it had been a great new truth. He was, therefore, esteemed a man of very profound judgment by everybody but his own wife. She saw through her husband's humbug, as wives, alas! too often do. Simpkins said, solemnly:

"It's my opinion a man that can outargify the Presbyterian minister ain't a safe person to be trusted with the education of our little ones. It's my opinion, further, that the schoolmaster's got somethin' on his mind. Them close he wears ain't Linwood cut. It's my opinion he's come from somewhere, and come down in the world. I.'s my opinion."—

"Your opinion, Sim Simpkins!" exclaimed his wiry little partner, contemptuously. "If the schoolmaster's got something on his mind, it's better to that than not to have any mind at all. They say he's come down in the world, do they? What of it? I've heard say it was better to be dead lion than a live jackass. Ain't the Carstone children going to school to him, every one of 'em? A man's good enough to teach my children, if he's good enough to teach them. They're a mannerediy family, from the oldest to the youngest, that they are!"

But the new master won the hearts of the children right speedily. There were an exquisite patience and kindiness in his ways toward them, as though something had schooled him through years to think of others rather than himself, and those others weak and childish. He had said he was 24 years old, but he looked years older. It was easy to see he had been born in a different sphere from the people he had come among. Even Jim Sweet recognized the fine, high bred ways that separated him from Linwood folk.

But it was true that he had something on his mind. He was unhappy and wretchedly discontented. He had sought Linwood to be out of the world, and, having his wish, he found, as many do, that his wish was just what he did not want. The coarseness, the stolid self conceit, the prying curiosity, the filliteracy of the Linwood people chafed his soul till he was like a tiger behind bars. Oh, what would bring forgetfulness?

He had been in his new employ only two months, yet he had grown weary and reckless. In a week more he would resign his place, he said to himself. In this moody he went to his task one morning. Entering the school house his eye rested on a group of handsome, tastefully dressed children. Next moment he saw that one, a girl, was older and taller than the rest, and his wandering eye was instantly arrested by her remarkable beauty. The group were new pupils. They were the Carstone children, Shirley among them. She lifted her eyes, and a flash of recognition passed between the two souls, the child and the master!

It was a day of beginning in the lives of both.

This story has been very quiet thus far. Storm enough come later.

From that day there was more of peace in the life of George Morrison. This girl pupil understood his plans with an instant, sweet recognition that surprised him. Gradually a better, more refining influence spread over the rude school.

"Papa," said Shirley, "this new teacher has opened a new world for us. Ask him to come to our house."

UNDER THE WILLOWS.

So it came about that the lonely schoolmaster became intimate in the Carstone mansion. The minds of the bright, pretty children unfolded like a flower under his sunlike teaching. Two happy years they were under his instructions. Yet at first he almost broke Shirley's heart by his criticism. The thought of one great poem she was to write had by this time taken possession of her. The master read the clear soul as if it had been the depths of a crystal lake.

"Others have written the epic of battles, Shirley," he said; "let your poem be the epic of peace and progress in history."

When she was 15 she wrote some timid verses for his inspection. He gave them back all marked and erased. He had taken away her finest words, her most sounding passages. Shirley was intensely angry. She flung herself on her father's breast in a passion.

"He crosses out the best of everything I write," she said. "It's no use my trying. I won't go to school any more."

That evening the master came as usual to the stone house. But the brightest, sweetest face of all was not there as usual to greet him.

"Where's Shirley?" asked he.

"You have broken her heart," said the colonel. "You cut her poem all to pieces."

A look of keen annoyance, of pain, crossed the fine dark face.

"But I could not help it," he said. "She uses too many words. Send her to me, will you not?"

The colonel brought her, leading her by the hand, her face averted.

"Here she is, Mr. Morrison," said he. "Take her life, but spare her adjectives!"

He laughed and passed down the steps out of sight. Shirley and the master were left alone. Shirley, strong, fearless girl though she was, trembled from head to foot. She had never been afraid of anything, but here was a new timidity stealing up from her heart and stopping her throat so she could not speak. As for him it may be that he trembled too. He opened his lips to speak.

"Shirley," he said. But the words died. A strange gleam passed over his face. His lips quivered momentarily, but he suppressed some kind of emotion, and said:

"You are my best pupil, Shirley; the one I take most pride in. You are angry at your teacher. What have I done? Have I not always been kind and gentle to you?"

Shirley found a voice, somehow, though it was a voice with a quaver in it.

"Yes, you have, Mr. Morrison. But I will never write anything again. Other girls write poetry for the school exercises. They take it out of books, and change it over so nobody will know it. They hand it to you, and you say it is nice. I write my verses out of my own head. They are my own. And you mark them all over. I have torn the paper up. I will never write any more. Never!"

"Just because it was your own and I saw rare promise in it, therefore I took pains to show you its faults. You use too much ornamentation. You imitate, without knowing it, other poets you have read. You must learn to be yourself. Come here, Shirley."

She obeyed, with downcast face.

"My dear pupil, I would rather go away from Linwood altogether than to hurt you or offend you. But I am your teacher. Don't you think, child, I know better than you?"

"Oh, yes, Mr. Morrison, I know that. You have taught me about more things than I ever knew in the world. I owe everything to you."

And you will trust me for the future, will you not?" he said.

He put one strong hand softly against each pink cheek and lifted her face. He looked down as her with his black-gray eyes, eyes so like her own, and said:

"Dear girl, you do not know how much you have been to me. I hated mankind when I came here. There was not a living creature I cared for, or who cared for me. You and your father showed me there was still truth and honest feeling in the world, bless your sweet, sunny soul! When I go away, whatever trouble is still to come, I shall know I have had some true friends, some hours that were happy. You are the best, truest, brightest creature I ever met. Would I wound your tender soul by so much as a word, do you think! You are the only one—Shirley, you are capable of great things. If I can judge of anything, the time will come when all the world will praise you. You will write your poem, and do your work—a work such as no woman ever did before. I know that. You will show all men the sweet, deep, marvelous strength that lies in a woman's brain. I believe in that, and I believe in you. Your verses will not be feeble and muddy and narrow—the kind most women write. Yours will be the grand, ringing notes of humanity and free womanhood. Because I know this, let me give you such hints as I may, child. Will you do this and forgive me?"

Her lips quivered, but she was always ready to confess an error—the frank, true child. She said:

"You are very, very good, Mr. Morrison; and I was wrong and foolish. I will do my best and never give you trouble again. Forgive me, dear master."

"I will bring you a woman's poem and read it to you to-morrow, Shirley," he said. "Gather your little Carstones, and we shall have a picnic in the afternoon down under the willows by the mill race. I will read you Aurora Leigh. Good night, child."

He laid his hand caressingly upon her head and slid it down softly over one of the fair braids. Did he press the long, fair braid to his lips as he turned to go? Well, who knows? Shirley did not know.

It was their last quarrel.

From that day a new and tenderer tie seemed to draw them together. The picnics, as the children called them, lasted all through the bright summer days. In the winter there were picnics indoors. The teacher had seemed soured and reserved when he came to Linwood. He had a bitter, sarcastic tongue when disturbed, which had drawn on him ill-will at first. But that had changed. He had become gentle and genial. He established a literary society among the rustics, the first one ever in the village. It was turning the thoughts of the younger people in a better and higher direction.

He and Shirley read and studied history, poetry and science. He taught her Greek and Latin, prose and poetry. The girl, like himself, had the rare faculty of grasping a thought in a glance. A few words upon its page would tell its whole story to her clear, alert brain. They were days of perfect happiness and peace. But the girl's thoughts came back always to Joan of Arc, the Maid of Domremy, the saint and martyr, with the iron helmet pressing upon her golden hair. It was like the motive in a work of music. She wrote little poems still, but now the master criticised them no more. Some had been printed. They had been copied and recopied, and went floating through the newspapers like beautiful waifs. Shirley was beginning to be known already as a poet of no common order.

"Shirley, you must write the best poem of your life for us next month," said the president of the literary society. "It is our last meeting of the year; you are appointed for the poem for the public entertainment. Our literary society has such a name now that we must do something uncommon."

"Yes," said the executive committeeman, "spectators will come in from half the county. Linwood must keep up her reputation. Linwood forever!"

The evening came, and Shirley read her poem. She surpassed all former efforts. Beside her, as she read, was a vase of white rosebuds, rare and costly, of a kind unknown in Linwood. It was the master's gift to his best pupil.

Mrs. Simpkins, her fast friend, told the story of her triumph to every stranger that came to the village.

"'Twas a night Linwood'll never forget, I reckon. The master, he'd trained Shirley, and practised her on her readin' till it was that natural you couldn't ha' told she wasn't talkin' it off out of her own head. She was the beautifulest creatur' you ever laid eyes on. She looked for all the world like an angel, standin' there dressed in snow white 'lusion. And her speech! Lord's sake! It sounded like the organ playin' 'Gather at the River,' when Sunday school lets out. It was just that beautiful. When she got done, and made her bow, there was a minit of dead hush, like before the benediction in church. Then the people all f'll to as they couldn't help themselves, and such a clappin' and cheerin' was never heard in Linwood before nor since. 'Peared as though they would take the girl and carry her off on their hands then and there. Shirley, she just blushed and looked that pretty till you felt you'd like to bite her. She turned her eyes this way and that as if she'd like to hide, till her eyes lit on the master. He was sitting on the stage, with the Presbyterian minister and the doctor. He hadn't cheered nor at all, but looked sober and set right still. But when Shirley looked at him, with the crowd a clappin' and a clappin', he jest reached across and shook her hand, quiet and gentleman like. He was a little pale and serious, like he had a pain or something. You could see how pleased he was, though, with his eyes a shinin'. But he never said a word.

"When the noise died away a little the Presbyterian minister he got up and waved his hand for 'em to be still. Then he says:

"'Ladies and gentlemen—I am requested by the Linwood Literary society to close the exercises of the evenin' by a little ceremony not down in the regular programme. A little surprise has been prepared for the poet of the evenin', a young lady whom we all honor. On behalf of the Linwood Literary society, as a token of their high appreciation, I am requested to present this wreath of silver laurel leaves to Miss Shirley Carstone. Fame may wreathe her brow with evergreens in after years, but she will never forget the inscription here, 'Linwood crowns her poet.'"

"It said just that:

"'Linwood crowns her poet.'

"Then you ought to have heard the noise! It was wuss'n a revival meetin'."

But there was something good Mrs. Simpkins did not tell. She did not tell it because she did not know it. Women generally keep a secret under similar circumstances.

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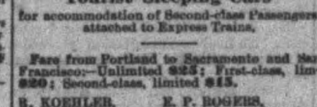

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Land Registry Office, Victoria,
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Victoria, 19th June, 1888. jy-13

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that I intend to apply at the first sitting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates for a license to sell Wines and Liquors by retail at the premises known as the St. Nicholas Hotel, Government Street. CHAS. PAGDEN.

Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1888. aug21 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the city of Victoria at their next sitting for leave to sell liquor by retail on the premises known as the Victoria Hotel, situated on the south-east corner of Fort and Douglas Streets. CHARLES ZOELLE

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G. MONTOBIO.

Victoria, B. C., 20th August, 1888. au20 2w

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

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16th August, 1888. aug16 3m

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W. A. JOHNSTON,
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Quesnelle, B. C., Aug. 17, 1888. au22 2w wlm

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JOHN GRAHAM,
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Victoria Aug 2nd 1888. au2-1m

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Administratrix.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 21st, 1888. aug22-1m

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Lv Seattle	11.15 a.m.	Lv Pt. Townsend	8.30 a.m.
Ar Pt. Townsend	2.5 p.m.	Ar Seattle	12.00 p.m.
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my8 1y R. B. RONOLF, Secretary.

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By the steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Mrs W Gordon, Miss Gordon, Dr E B C Hasnington, R Livingstone, W D Ferris, D W Cummings, J F Walls, A Mangmann, W Gordon, Mrs E J Miller, Chas Doering, L J Holt, W M Moore, E Giles, Rev D McRae, Jos Calvin, Jno Karr, C A Lunberg, E Meinertshagen Carson, Mrs Carson, E L Carson, C Summers, W H Ladon, Miss L Lindsay, C Mulatte, A Crowzer, W H Harrison, D E Brown, Thos Tait, J Thompson, P Irving, H E Ward, Capt Aitken, Marcus Baubeck, F Bery, A K Mark, A W Fraser, Jno A Salter.

Consignees.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—W Gardiner, S J Pitts, R Lettice, D R Ross & Co, Thos Earle, A R Johnson, N E P Society, Armour Pkg Co, S Leiser, F G Richards, Sing Gun & Co, Van V Bros, Turner Beeton & Co, F McQuade & Son, John Partridge.

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Marine Notes.

Steamer Umatilla will leave the outer wharf at 1 p. m. to-morrow for San Francisco.

Steamer Alaskan will be laid up after October 1st. She will receive a thorough overhauling before being again placed on the Victoria-Tacoma route.

A telegram received at Port Townsend reports the British ship Derby Park, from Port Discovery with lumber for Melbourne, wrecked on Pewrhyn Island. Captain and wife drowned; crew saved.

Incoming Passengers.

San Francisco, Sept. 14—The steamer Mexico sailed for Victoria with the following passengers: A J F McKiernan, S Loffman, Mrs D D Reid, Miss Higgins, H C Fox and wife, Len Geo, G Somers.

New Autumn Dress Fabrics.

A complete line in single and double width goods just received at the City House. *

Weekly Times.

This paper was issued last evening. It is a thoroughly provincial paper in every sense of the word and requires no puffing. It will speak for itself.

Building Society.

The drawing for an appropriation in the Vancouver Island Building Society took place at Harmony Hall last night. Mrs. L. A. Seabrook, holder of share 220, received the appropriation of $2000.

Sheep From the Interior.

The Rithet on her last trip from Westminster brought down 330 sheep for Van Volkenburgh Bros. from their ranch up country. This lot makes over 1000 that have been brought this year from the same place.

Morality By-Law.

The *Standard* in its article on city improvements yesterday evening, gives the credit of the introduction of the by-law on Morality to Alderman Harris. Its introduction should have been attributed to Ald. Wilson. Honor to whom honor is due.

A Winnipeg Fish Story.

The Winnipeg *Sun* of Sept. 7th, contains the following news: "The Hon. John Cameron, while fishing around the docks at Victoria, B. C., Thursday afternoon, fell into the water and was nearly drowned. He had sunk for the last time when rescued."

Murder Near Seattle.

Fred Kline, an employee of the Puget Sound Steam Laundry, near Seattle, shot G. A. Basler three times through the body on Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The last bullet took effect by entering the left breast. Mr. Basler lived only a few minutes after the shooting.

Another Sealer.

A number of Indians arrived from the West Coast on Thursday afternoon and informed Messrs. Carne & Munsie that their schooner, the Pathfinder, was detained at Ahousat by light winds. The Pathfinder has been in the Behring Sea and reports a light catch on account of stormy weather. The schooner will arrive in a few days with 600 skins.

To Visit B. C.

A number of the ministers and laymen who are attending the meeting of the missionary board in Winnipeg expect to visit British Columbia before returning east. The *Christian Guardian* says: "This visit to the Northwest will give the board an opportunity of acquiring a better knowledge of the position and claims of missions in that country. The C. P. R. Co. has offered the clergymen a rate of $42 for the round trip, including Pullmans.

Tascott in California.

William B. Tascott, the murderer of millionaire Snell, of Chicago, has been in San Francisco for the past six months. A few days ago a man entered the office of Chief of Police Crowley, and said that he had a very important communication to make. He was referred to Captain of Detectives Less to whom he confided his secret, which was in effect that a certain young man whose name he gave, but which the police desire suppressed, was no other than Tascott, for whose capture $100,000 reward was offered at one time. A piece of writing in the shape of a receipt written by the suspect was obtained by a reporter and compared with the sample of Tascott's writing attached to the circular containing his description. The similarity of the two pieces of writing was very striking, and enough alike to warrant belief that they were written by the same person.

Two Fatal Accidents.

It is reported that Charley Brown, of Dog Creek, Lillooet District, had fallen from a load of hay and broken his neck. Many old British Columbians will be sorry to hear of Mr. Brown's death, as he is associated with the early developments of that particular portion of the mainland. He was always looked upon as a straightforward business man and a good citizen. Brown's pack train transported the whole of the machinery for the first steamer built by G. B. Wright on the upper waters of the Fraser, freight at that time from Victoria to Alexandria being $1250 per ton, such being the difficulties encountered in building steamboats in the interior in the early days of the Province. Perhaps there was not another man in the Province other than Mr. Wright would at that time have undertaken an enterprise of that magnitude. The report of Mr. Brown's death lacks positive confirmation, but is believed to be true.

It was also reported that a Chinaman was thrown from his horse coming out from the Forks of the Quesnelle and killed. It is supposed his foot caught in the stirrup and he was dragged some distance. He had a quantity of gold-dust, which was scattered along the trail, and has since been partially picked up by some of his fellow countrymen.

The Art Critic Still Lives!

Decidedly a clever move on the part of the reporter of our evening contemporary to palm himself off on the public as a certain Apocryphal "Robert Jones of Menzies Street." Had "A La Murillo's" first attempt been equal to this superb flight of imagination, we should have entertained the hope that he would shortly have emerged from the chrysalis state a full blown editor. But we are glad to see that even the editor of our contemporary is anxious to disclaim all connection with our worthy critic. The whole thing is a little too clever. We are pleased to hear, however, that all "Robert's" remarks were made good-naturedly, otherwise we might have mistaken his intent, when he speaks of the "nonsense" of "Pencil and Brush." "Robert" will pardon our reminding him that abuse is not argument. We are glad to see that he has now gone in for the study of the fine arts, and has become acquainted with the name of at least *one* Italian artist. But we hope he will continue to study. 'Robert' is very magnanimous, and has no objection apparently to any one earning an honest penny. What has he got to do with it anyway? Let us earnestly trust that he earns his own cents honestly.

PENCIL AND BRUSH.

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Seymour Narrows and Saanich Railway—Ald. Kelly's Ideas, &c.

The spirit in which Ald. Kelly's bonus motion for a line of railway to connect with the cities of the east *via* Seymour Narrows, was received by the City Council on Wednesday evening, clearly shows that the feelings of the citizens are changing in the right direction, and that the moss will no longer be permitted to grow so luxuriantly as in times past; that every point of vantage will be seized in order to secure to Victoria the enviable position it has pleased the All-wise Providence to place her. If a similar spirit had animated her people some eight or ten years ago, things would have been different to-day. "Never too late to mend" is a good maxim, and Ald. Kelly may yet see his patriotic ideas carried out. The by-law, of which notice had been given, was very properly laid over, in order to be amended to $150,000. Some mentioned two or three hundred thousand, but why not make it $500,000 at once. Winnipeg gave $250,000, built a railway bridge at a cost of $100,000, and 25 acres of land valued at $450,000, in order to secure the headquarters of the Western Division of the C. P. R. Over 1200 men are constantly employed in the R R shops alone. Victoria, by becoming the terminus of a transcontinental line of railway, would, if connection is secured with the east by a continuous line, soon become what nature designed her for, the centre of trade for not one, but two continents. Then would outsiders, over the water, have occasion to grin at our "snort." The worthy Alderman, when proposing the by-law, remarked that he had spoken of his proposition to some of the principal property holders on that important subject, and that they were with him in his endeavour, both heart and soul. The people appear to have been aroused at last to the necessity of the situation, owing to the spirited conduct of the worthy alderman, the advocacy of THE TIMES and the thunders of the Major. The Saahich line of railway and the ferry to Ladner's Landing, will not be forgotten, as a temporary arrangement will suffice till the continuous line is built and in operation. That scheme should receive a bonus of $100,000 at least; $50,000 was mentioned, but that sum is too small, as that line has not received any land grant or other bonus from either the Dominion or Provincial Governments. Both enterprises are entitled to large money grants from the Federal exchequer. Quebec received its millions and British Columbia only received a beggarly $700,000; which Old King Coal utilizes on his own account to charge $10 a ton for his coal. Our Dominion members must be given to understand that when they go to Ottawa they will have to look after the interests of Victoria instead of their own; but then they only fully illustrate what "The Preacher" said the other day: That they don't go in for the honor of the position but for what they can make out of it.

The great Morality by-law of Ald. Wilson was handed in but was not read, so the Major is unable to say anything in regard to that important subject. The hope is, however, that it won't be like the mountain in labor and bring forth a mouse. Notwithstanding, what the *Colonist* told its readers the other day, the plans for the sewers were not ready, nor won't be till Saturday evening. The numerous building applications elicited from the Mayor, when putting them to the vote, a well timed remark that he would be willing to sit all night to receive such applications; it was an undoubted sign that Vistoria was progressing in the building line. And yet the building season ought to be near over. To judge from the number of applications building operations have only commenced to "boom."

All that remains for the City Council and the citizens of Victoria to do now is to back up the enlightened, far-seeing ideas of one of their most worthy fellow townsmen. Don't be jealous of our G. O. M. for having given birth to thoughts so grand; help him to lay his proposition before the people by giving him all the assistance in your power, with words of encouragement and approbation. Were he some years younger he'd make things hum; as it is, he'll raise a buzz of some kind. The views and the will is there; cultivate them. Then will we have capital from the outside seeking investments in the trade and commerce of Victoria, Queen of Western Adriatic!

THE TOWN MAJOR.

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q.C.)

Dr. J. C. Davie was summoned by Officer Redgrave on a charge of driving at a pace over six miles per hour. Officer Redgrave swore to the information. Messrs. P. Rouse and J. Marsden swore that the pace was less than six miles an hour. The defendant said he thought a surgeon should be allowed to drive faster than the regulation pace.

His Honor said the by-law stated that no person can drive faster than the rate prescribed by law. Case dismissed.

Dr. Hannington was summoned by Officer Gayden and charged with driving on James Bay bridge faster than a walk. Fined $1.

Christopher Larsen, charged driving a horse through Douglas street at a pace faster than six miles an hour. Officer Redgrave said the charge should be cruelty to animals. The man was galloping the horse through the streets and besides his cruelty to the animal was endangering the lives of pedestrians. Defendant was fined $10. Messrs. Richard Jones and W. H. Mason, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, were present in the court.

Sam, an Indian, was sentenced to imprisonment for one month for being in possession of an intoxicant.

Ah Lin was charged with vagrancy. Sgt. Shepperd said the man was allowed out of gaol a few days ago and it was suspected that he sold liquor to Indians. The Chinaman was discharged.

MAGAZINE EXPLODES.

The Magazine on Deadman's Island Explodes This Afternoon.

Word was received in the city this afternoon that the grass on Deadman's Island, Esquimalt harbor, was on fire and that the magazine was expected to catch. A short time after a violent explosion was felt and looking in the direction of Esquimalt a large volume of smoke was seen to rise. The TIMES immediately inquired at Esquimalt, telephoned for particulars, but it was not known whether there was anyone on the island at the time of the explosion or not. The grass is said to have been set on fire last night. The magazine is believed to have been of wood. There was not much powder in it but there were several shells. The violence of the explosion shook glasses off the shelves in the houses in Esquimalt and was quite distinctly felt in Victoria. Mr. Wm. Gordon and others who saw it go up place the exact time at 11 minutes to 4 o'clock. A party from C Battery went down to the scene of the explosion.

Several explosions have been taking place since the first. They were caused by shells. Latest intelligence says no one was hurt.

Sneak Thief.

A young man who was recently employed in a bakery on Government street is being sought for by the police. He was engaged to drive the delivery wagon and collected a sum of money ($15) which he forgot to hand over to his employer. The scamp is believed to have crossed the line on the Sound steamer.

LAID AT REST.

Funeral of the Late Thomas Elwyn, Deputy Provincial Secretary

When our heads are bowed with woe,
When our bitter tears flow,
When we mourn the lost, the dear,
Jesu! son of woman hear.

The mortal remains of one of our most respected pioneers were consigned to their last resting place this afternoon. Shortly after 1 o'clock the mournful *cortege* started from the residence and proceeded along Dallas Road to the Reformed Episcopal Church, where the impressive funeral service was read by Rev. Dr. Reid. The 374th hymn was sung by the choir, and at the conclusion of the service the organ pealed forth the "Dead March in Saul." The casket, covered with wreaths and crosses of beautiful flowers, was then conveyed from the church and the sad procession slowly wended its way to the cemetery. The Pioneer Society, amongst whose ranks the silent reaper has been making marked inroads of late, followed the remains of their former President to the cemetery. Mr. H. Moffatt and Mr. F. Jesse were chief mourners. Members of the Government and the officials of the different department were present. The pall-bearers were: Hon A E B Davie, Premier; Hon John Robson, Provincial Secretary; Capt H Lewis, Agent of Marine and Fisheries; Deputy Attorney-General Irving; P J Leech, City Surveyor; John Kurtz, ex-President of the Pioneer Society; W McNiffe, President of the Pioneers; and W S Gore, Surveyor General. During the day flags over the Government buildings, American Consulate and City Hall floated at half mast as a mark of regard for one who was beloved and respected by the entire community.

FROM VANCOUVER.

A Victorian Hurt by a Runaway Team

Special to THE TIMES.

Vancouver, Sept. 14—At 11 o'clock this morning a team belonging to a party named E. Burnley, formerly of Victoria, started on the C. P. R. wharf and ran along Cordova street. Passing the Dougall House, F. G. Walker, a commercial man of Victoria, sprang to stop the team and slipped and fell, receiving a severe cut on the back of the head. Dr. Bell Irving dressed the wound. A moment after Walker fell the team crashed into the back of another express, breaking the pole and throwing the horses.

H. M. S. ESPIEGLE.

Arrives in Esquimalt—140 Men on Board.

H. M. S. Espiegle commander A. C. Clarke, which left Honolulu on the 27th of August, arrived in Esquimalt harbor this morning. The Espiegle is a war sloop of 1130 tons, 1130 horse-power and 10 guns. She was commissioned at Davenport in August 1887. Her crew consists of 145 men all told. The officers of the Espiegle some of whom are familiar to Victorians are as follows: Commander, A.C. Clarke; 1st Lieut., Arthur H. Smith Dorion; 2nd Lieut., Chas. Pritchard; 3rd Lieut., H. D. Kirwan; Dr. Bookey; Paymaster, Robt. A. Moore; Engineer, Alex B. Watson; Gunner, G. Blewitt; Boatswain, John Allen; Carpenter, W. E. Sponehan; Clerk, L. Harris.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Dr. Hannington returned from the Mainland on last night's steamer.

D S McLeod and E F Forbes, Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

J W Creighton and A Meyer, Nanaimo, are at the Driard.

C. Doering was a passenger last night on the steamer Yosemite from Vancouver.

Rev. D. McRae arrived in this city on last night's steamer from the Mainland.

Deputy Attorney General Irving arrived last evening on the steamer Yosemite.

Wm Gordon, of the Hamilton Powder Works, returned from the Mainland last night.

Mr W.D.Ferris, J.P., arrived from New Westminster last night on the steamer Yosemite.

Dr. Freaza left this morning for the east. He held a consultation yesterday afternoon with the Minister of Agriculture.

James Rankin, son of Mr Rankin, accountant in the Royal City Planing Mills, New Westminster, passed his examination successfully at Dalhousie College, Halifax, Nova Scotia, at the matriculation in arts.

Rev C R Baskett, of Bridport, who was a resident of Victoria for many years, represented Court 3095, Bridport, at the High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters at Redding, Eng, and took a prominent part in discussing the color question.

SPORTING NOTES.

FOOT BALL CLUB.

A meeting of the Victoria Foot Ball Club was held last night in the Bank of B. C. building. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: B H T Drake, Captain; W. A. Ward, Secretary-Treasurer; L. Cresse, H. J. Martin and W. H. Langley were elected a committee of management. A match will be played with the Nanaimo rovers on October 6th. The club will practice on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 22nd.

AQUATIC.

Leander Stevenson, of San Francisco, and James Jackson of Vallejo, rowed a race at Vallejo on Sunday last for $150 aside. Jackson won by a length.

FOR KAMLOOPS.

The following lacrosse players will leave for Kamloops to-morrow: J C Whyte, W G Mackenzie, D W Morrow, Geo Tite, A E Wade, W J Ledingham, T Cusack, B Clarke, W H Clarke, Chas Ray, J Cox, J P Hibben, C C Fletcher, C Dempster. Mr. A Kenning, the active little home player of the Victorians, will be unable to go. Mr. W. H. Cullin, the efficient goal keeper, will remain off at Kamloops on his way from Ottawa.

Accident.

John Costello, a young man employed at the Albion Iron Works met with a painful accident this morning. Whilst engaged in chipping a piece of iron a particle struck him in the right eye. The medical attendant says the young man will not lose his sight.

Corrig School.

This school has opened with an attendance of over thirty boys from some of our most respected families. The Rev. Mr. Brenton, as principal, gives the pupils the benefit of his wide experience, and is assisted by an able body of assistants. Mr. John Talbot, an experienced and successful master from Nonington School, Kent, England, has just arrived to act as assistant resident master.

Victoria Club.

The Victoria Club has been removed to the new building erected by Mr. J. D. Pemberton on the corner of Fort and Broad streets. The management were expeditious in the matter of removal, as the members dined last night at the rooms lately occupied by them, and served breakfast this morning at their new rooms. It is intended that the new premises shall be fitted up with all the comforts that can reasonably be expected to be found in mutual rooms of that character.

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Still growing in the ground—Potatoes, carrots and mangolds.

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Half the purchase money can remain on mortgage at a reasonable rate of interest.

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